PART I: CLEAN VERSION

1. In a building, a roof structure comprising

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an essentially non-load supporting, vertically extending central column having a lower end spaced above a supporting structure of said roof structure; and

a plurality of at least three elongated and vertically inclined, multi-element trusses fixedly joined on innermost ends thereof to said central column and being rotationally displaced from one another in a horizontal plane, each of said trusses extending radially outwardly and downwardly from said central column to an outer end portion thereof for mounting on a weight bearing supporting structure at a level spaced above the supporting surface of said building and below the lower end of said column, said plurality of trusses thereby defining a roof structure in the form of a cone shaped polygon.

21. The building of Claim 3 wherein said upper beam is inclined at a first vertical angle relative to horizontal.